



DEATH

ANGEL

Takes Only Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Enoch.

Drops to Peaceful Slumber After Short Illness.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Enoch Friday and took from the loving parents their bright and winsome little daughter, Harriet. This little tot was only four years of age, but in her short life, by her sweet and winning ways, had endeared herself to many of us. No words of tongue or pen can half portray the suffering and anguish of the distracted parents and we can only hope and pray that God in His wisdom and mercy will look down upon them and will lighten the burden of sorrow that now oppresses them. And they have His promise to so do "Come all ye that are heavy laden and I will give thee rest."

This is the second time within the last few weeks that this young couple have had to furnish toll for the Grim Reaper, as on January 24 Frances Louise, aged nine months, was called to her home in Heaven.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch, who have resided here all their lives, have the sympathy of a legion of friends in their sorrow.

Golden Chief Sold.

Emerald Chief Stock Farm, of this county, has sold to Mr. J. W. Bates, of Chattanooga, Tenn., the sensational walk-trot stallion, Golden Chief, for \$1,000. This horse is a four-year-old and a corker and will be placed in the stud by his new owner, who is one of the leading wholesale clothing manufacturers of the South. Golden Chief was sired by Golden King, and is out of Bourbon Maid, by Bourbon Chief 976, and is one of the best individuals which ever left this county.

See ad in today's paper—big sale of Glassware—You might know it'll be a Corker at Spot Cash Grocery.

ACCEPT

LOW BID

City Council in Special Session Monday Night.

The L. W. Hancock Co., of Louisville, Get Work.

At a special meeting of the City Council held Monday night upon the recommendation of the Brick Street Commission, composed of Messrs. C. H. Petry, C. C. Chennault, R. D. Barnes, Ed. L. Williams and Mayor W. A. Samuels, the council accepted the bid of The L. W. Hancock Co., of Louisville, to construct the brick streets. The Committee had thoroughly investigated the reliability of the firm and the character of work done by it, etc., and reported favorably on same.

The bid for the work on Main and High streets was \$1.86 per sq. yard, and on Locust street \$2.00 per sq. yard, the difference being made because the concrete base used on Locust street will be two inches thicker than that used on the other two streets. In order to get the council to specify Portsmouth Granite Block the owners of the Portsmouth Granite Block factory agreed to pay a bonus of 3 cents per sq. yard on the whole job thus reducing the cost to the abutting property owners to \$1.83 and \$1.97 per sq. yards respectively. The contractors agree to begin work not later than April 1 and to complete the job in 120 working days.

Wins Land Suit.

A suit for the title of 2,000 acres of land, lying on Spring Fork of Quick Sand, in Breathitt county, joining Magoffin county, was decided in favor of Mr. Jerome Skidmore, of Winchester, at Jackson by Judge J. M. Benton Saturday.

A company claimed title to the land, which was in the possession of Mr. Skidmore. The land, which is now said to be valued at \$30,000 to \$40,000, was purchased by Mr. Skidmore several years ago for \$10,000.

Fresh oysters daily at Vanarsdell's.

FIRST SALE HELD AT LOOSE LEAF WAREHOUSE

Nearly One Hundred Thousand Pounds of Tobacco Sold On the Mt. Sterling Market Saturday.

Plenty of Buyers On the Floor and Farmers Well Pleased With Prices--Talk of Starting Another Warehouse Company.

The first sale of tobacco held at the Loose Leaf Warehouse of the Burley Tobacco Society held in this city Saturday was most satisfactory both to the farmers and the buyers. Quite a large crowd had assembled to witness the first sale and much interest was shown. Many farmers who had crops sold said they would bring in more, while many others who had waited until after the first sale was made to see how the prices ranged, said they would bring in their crops. We are indebted to Mr. J. H. Blount for the following list of crops sold and the prices realized: B. F. Carpenter, averaged \$10.75 B. W. Hall, 1 crop " 6.50 B. W. Hall, 1 crop " 8.25 A. H. Robbins, " 6.75 James Mason, " 7.50 Wm. Woosley, " 9.10 Higgins Caywood, " 8.35 J. P. Highland, 1 crop " 6.30 James Peters, (Bath county) 5.50 J. P. Highland, averaged 8.50

Local Teachers Visit Lexington Public Schools.

Four of the teachers in the primary grades of the local public school visited the Lexington public schools Friday. The teachers confined their inspection to the Maxwell street school, finding it inconvenient to make the rounds of all the schools in the city, and believing that they could observe the working of the system in one school as well as in a visit to all. Much valuable information was obtained and the teachers were much benefitted.

The following teachers made the trip: Misses Mary Welsch, Mattie Hoffman, Lucy Owings and Bessie Robinson.

Get your McKinley music at the Spot Cash Grocery—only 10c per copy and 5 postals free.

Prominent Bath County Man Victim of Heart Trouble.

Hon. A. W. Bascom, aged 72 years, died at Owingsville Thursday afternoon, after a long illness of heart disease.

Mr. Bascom was a widely-known and distinguished citizen. He had represented Bath county in the State Legislature, as had his grandfather, his father, and one of his brothers. He was a grandson of Colonel Thomas Dye Owings, a pioneer of this part of Kentucky, and the founder of the town of Owingsville, which bears his name, and a nephew of Bishop Henry Bascom of the M. E. Church.

100 quarts best cranberries 7c a quart at Spot Cash Grocery.

Six Magistrates and Judge in Contempt.

Circuit Judge A. W. Young, holding court at Owingsville last week, ordered County Judge Crooks and six magistrates arrested and brought before court for contempt in failing to carry out certain orders made at the last term of the court.

For Sale.

All kinds of hay for sale. Phones 422-402A. 32-4t T. J. Bigstaff.

F. P. Boyd, " 6.60 Asa Bean, " 7.00 Greene & Hart, " 8.10 Robinson & Gorrell, " 7.50 Harry Howell, " 6.60 W. D. King, " 4.40 Pete Rice, " 4.30 George Holmes, " 7.60 W. H. Wright, " 13.40 Criss Lauth, " 8.00 Simpson Garrett, " 11.25 Herbert Moss, " 11.80 Chenault Woodford, " 8.15 Coons & Kratzer, " 4.40 Elijah Coons, " 4.70 H. Witt, " 11.25

Only two crops were rejected.

Buyers for the American Tobacco Co., R. J. Reynolds & Co., Liggett & Myers, E. J. O'Brien and others were present and informed the management that they would be on hand every Saturday for the sales.

It is rumored that another warehouse company will be organized here at once.

Miss Junie Wilson Killed by Fast Train.

The sad news was received here last week by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wilson, telling them of the death of their daughter, Miss Junie, aged 37 years, who was killed at Dayton, Ky., by a fast C. & O. train, while attempting to cross the tracks about 300 yards from her home. Miss Wilson had been shopping and on account of the high wind it is thought she failed to hear the approaching train when she attempted to cross the tracks. Her body was hurled about 30 feet and badly mutilated, death being instantaneous.

Mrs. Bruce Wilson left at once for Dayton and returned Monday on the noon train with the corpse. Burial took place immediately in Machpelah cemetery, with short services at the grave by Rev. B. W. Trimble.

Miss Wilson had not made her home here for a number of years, but had many friends in this city, who will be grieved to learn of her untimely death.

Death of S. E. Myers.

Mr. Silas E. Myers, aged 66 years, died at his home near Moorefield, Nicholas county, Thursday evening, February 22, after a lingering illness of spinal and kidney trouble. The funeral service was at the residence Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and interment in the Carlisle cemetery. Mr. Myers is survived by his wife (who is a sister of Mrs. P. B. Turner, of this county) and three daughters, also two brothers and one sister. He had been a great sufferer for more than a year.

Mr. Myers was a kind husband and father and a true friend, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. To the sorrowing wife, daughters, brothers and sister we extend sympathy. Those who attended the funeral from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stephens and son, Roger, Mrs. Gano Caywood and Messrs. Jas. S. and Bruce T. Turner.

Fresh line of cereals of all kinds at Vanarsdell's.

GRIM

REAPER

Takes From Our Midst Mrs. Eliza Goodwin.

Succumbs After Many Years' Illness.

Mrs. Eliza Goodwin died at her home in this city Friday, after an illness dating back eight years. At that time Mrs. Goodwin suffered a fracture of the hip and had been confined to her bed ever since. She bore her long suffering with christian-like fortitude and ever had a bright and cheerful word for those about her.

Mrs. Goodwin was 83 years of age and was born in this county, the daughter of Milton Jameson, deceased. She was the widow of George G. Goodwin, of Fayette county. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ed. K. Thomas and Mrs. Lucy Fesler, of Bourbon county, and three sons, William Goodwin, of Bourbon county, Ned Goodwin, of Winchester, and M. J. Goodwin, County Superintendent of Schools of this county, who have the sympathy of countless friends.

Best bananas down to 15c a dozen at Spot Cash Grocery.

Local Men to Engage in Lumber Business in Lexington.

The S. F. McCormick Lumber Co. recently opened for business in Lexington and is composed of County Judge G. A. McCormick and Mr. S. F. McCormick, of this county. It is the sincere wish of the many friends of these gentlemen that their new venture may prove a success.

The Lexington Herald has the following to say of the new firm: "Mr. S. F. McCormick is the manager of the new concern and Judge McCormick will be represented in the business by his son, S. A. McCormick."

The gentlemen in the new firm are old and well known residents of Montgomery and come to Fayette county with the highest and best of business reputations. They will be valuable accessions to the business community.

The new lumber company will do a retail business and will cater to the citizens of Lexington and the farmers of this section. They have now on hand a large supply of rough and dressed lumber, sashes, doors and woodwork of all kinds. The planing mill is first class in every respect."

Bring us your country produce. We will treat you right. S. E. Kelly & Co. 12tf

Rents Farm.

Rev. Elbert E. Dawson has rented a farm in Jessamine county near Wilmore, and will move there with his family on March 1.

Revolver Duel at Nicholasville.

Harry Hughes, aged twenty-five, shot and killed "Bud" Sherfrow, a young married man, about 12 o'clock Sunday night, during a pistol duel, on the streets of Nicholasville, Ky. Hughes was slightly wounded. William Hunter, a bystander, was also wounded by a stray bullet.

SPECIAL until March 2nd, unless sold before, all men's \$4 shoes, including the RALSTON and the U. S. Army shoes, at \$3.25. 32-3 BRUNNER, the Shoe Man.

CHURCH

DESTROYED

Erected by Rev. Morgan Wells, Formerly of This City.

Destruction of Baptist Property in Texas Very Mysterious.

The Advocate has received a copy of the Fort Worth, Texas, Record, containing a full and graphic account of the destruction of the First Baptist Church in that city. This church was erected through the efforts of the late J. Morgan Wells, formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church, of this city. He was its first pastor and it was known as the Wells Church.

On the night of January 7th the home of Mrs. Wells, who has resided in Fort Worth since her husband's death in 1896, was partially destroyed by fire; on January 9th fire again broke out in the Wells residence, and the day following the Wells Church was damaged to the amount of \$9,000 by fire of a mysterious origin. On January 14th two shots were fired through a window at Rev. Norris, the present pastor, while he was seated at a desk in his study. On January 16th a thief secured \$200 in silverware from the Wells residence, and on February 4th the church was set on fire and totally destroyed. The other denominations came to the aid of the Baptists in every way. A mass meeting of the citizens was held and one thousand dollars was raised and offered as a reward for the perpetrator of these acts.

Many of our older citizens remember the great revival held at the Harrodsburg Baptist Church in October, 1871, conducted by Rev. Graves, an evangelist. Scores united with the church. One night James M. Wells, then a boy of sixteen, was dealing taro bank close by the church. Having heard much about the meetings, the young man closed the game, telling the players that he wanted to hear the preacher. He attended the service and occupied a back seat, and when the invitation was given he arose and went to the front and united with the church. He entered the ministry, graduated at Georgetown College, and become one of the foremost Baptist preachers of his day. Through his instrumentality thousands were led into the better way and though he has passed into the better land his name is still revered by all who knew him. Mr. Wells was buried in the church yard of the church that has just been destroyed, his being the only mound in the church yard enclosure. At the Wednesday night prayer meeting preceding his death, he stated that when his earthly labors were ended he wanted to rest at this spot to await the morning of the resurrection.

Live Bird Shoot.

One of the biggest live bird shoots ever pulled off in this section is being pulled off this week in Bourbon county, between Jacob D. Gay, of Clark county, and Harry Kehler, of Philadelphia.

The condition of the match, as reported, are as follows.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday these gentlemen shoot 100 live pigeons each day for a \$500 bet, making a total wager of \$1,500. Mr. Woolfork Henderson is acting as referee.

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Royal is equally valuable in the preparation of plain, substantial, every-day foods, for all occasions.

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